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General Assembly in Rome

Tuesday 9th Oct

- Reports from committees
- **FIGO 2018** premature for decision, revisit 2014
- Colombia Bogota (Congress center nor ready yeat) 60/100
- Peru Lima (Plan on building a new congress center) 50/100
- Rio de Jaineiro Congress center OK 80/100
- Sao Paolo Congrees center OK 70/100

Thursday 11 th Oct

- Elections for officers

President

- *“The nomination for the President will, except for some compelling reason, involve simply **the endorsement of the President-Elect already in office.**”*
- Sir Sabaratnam Arulkumaran (UK),

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President Elect

- *“The office of President-Elect has been created to provide **a period of three years**, in which a person may serve on the Executive Board in preparation for the Presidency.*
- *Consideration must be given to geographic rotation in the selection of the President-Elect” 2012 Asia*

Candidates for President Elect

- **Abdul Aziz Yahya** **Maylasia**
- **Zeyi Cao** **China**
- **Kenneth Clark** **New Zealand**
- **Chittaranjan Narahari
Purandare** **India**

Candidates for President Elect



Zeyi Cao

- **Abdul Aziz Yahya**



- **Kenneth Clark**

**Chittaranjan Narahari
Purandare**



Vice-President 3 –year term

- *“The Vice-President deputises for the President.*
- *In the event of the demise or resignation of the President the Vice-President will assume presidential office for the rest of the term.*
- *The Vice-Presidency should be awarded as an **honour to a person or to a country**, but in view of the office of the President-Elect,*
- ***the Vice-Presidency is not to be considered as a step towards the Presidency..”***

The Honorary Treasurer

- Professor **Wolfgang Holzgreve (Germany)** is the current Honorary Treasurer and, having served only one term of office is **eligible for re-election** under the terms of Article 9 of FIGO's Constitution.
- No other candidates
- Prof. Holzgreve is also currently the President of
- the International Society "The Fetus as a Patient",
- the German Society of Reproductive Medicine, and
- the Chairman of the Scientific Committee of
- the World Federation of Perinatal Medicine.



The Honorary Secretary

- Professor **Ian Fraser** (Australia) is the current Honorary Secretary
- Having served two consecutive terms of office, is **not eligible for re-election** as Honorary Secretary under the terms of Article 9 of FIGO's Constitution.

Candidates for Honorary Secretary

- **Gian Carlo Di Renzo** **Italy**
(DSOG Kresten Rubeck Petersen)
- **Nafou Idi** **Niger**
- **Zephne Van Der Spuy** **South Africa**

Nominations for societies to be represented on the FIGO Executive Board

- *“Society Members seated on the Executive Board are elected to serve for **six consecutive years**. Society Members may be re-elected without restriction.*
- *In order to maintain continuity, **one-half** of all the Society Members' seats on the Executive Board will generally **become vacant every three years**.”*
- *Societies that will continue to serve as Executive Board members and may therefore **NOT** be nominated are those representing the following territories*

Societies that will continue until 2015

- Argentina: 1991-2000; 2009-2015
- Canada: 1994-2003; 2003-2009; 2009-2015
- **Finland: 1985-94; 2009-2015**
- France: 1954-1988; 1988-1997; 1997-2003; 2003-2009; 2009-2015
- Germany: 1954-1988; 1988-97; 1997-2003; 2003-2009; 2009-2015
- Japan: 1954-1988; 1988-1997; 1997-2003; 2003-2009; 2009-2015
- Malaysia: 1994- 2003; 2003-2009; 2009-2015
- Paraguay 2009-2015
- South Africa: 1994-2003; 2003-2009; 2009-2015
- Spain: 1979-1988, 1997-2003; 2003-2009; 2009-2015
- Taiwan 2009-2015
- United Kingdom: 1991-2000; 2000-2006; 2009-2015